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April 13, 2004 LB 868, 943

AM3669. All in favor vote aye, and opposed nay. Please record.

CLERK: 31 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to adopt the Select File amendment.

SPEAKER BROMM: The amendment is adopted. Senator Mossey.

SENATOR MOSSEY: Mr. Speaker, I move the advancement of LB 868 to E & R for engrossing.

SPEAKER BROMM: Motion is to advance LB 868 to E & R for engrossing. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. The motions that we have filed on bills to return for motions are LB 943, LB 613 and LB 625. Mr. Clerk, we'll take up LB 943 first.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 943. Senator Beutler would move to return the bill for AM3639. (Legislative Journal page 1606.)

SPEAKER BROMM: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Bromm, members of the Legislature, on Select File, this bill was amended. One of those amendments, a part of a little package, but one of those amendments was my amendment. Senator Brashear felt that it had not been done in an entirely appropriate way and he's probably right. So we worked on some language together, I think he's in agreement on this, that clarifies and rewrites the language a little bit, with respect to the particular portion that was under discussion. And basically now, the language says that a person shall not be convicted of both a violation of computer solicitation and of the underlying offense. Originally, the language had said a person shall not be "charged" with both of those kinds of offenses. So I think changing the word "charged" to "convicted" and refining a little more the other language makes this agreeable to Senator Brashear and the committee, and I would leave it for him to comment further.

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Senator Beutler. I see no further lights. You're recognized to close on your motion.